

# *Merdale Farm Dispersion*



Merdale Twofold Mercury

**Shorthorn Sale**

**Saturday, November 25, 1967**

**SPENCER, IOWA**

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# *Merdale Farm*

Established in 1907 — Known for 60 Years

Owner: CLYDE PALMER, Harris, Iowa

## **SHORTHORN DISPERSION SALE**

Guest Consignor: The Russell Logan Family, Spencer, Ia.

### **39 LOTS — 55 HEAD**

- 1—2-YEAR OLD HERD BULL, D F BRAWITH LEGEND
- 8—QUALITY YOUNG BULLS
- 16—COWS WITH CALVES AT FOOT AND REBRED
- 6—REAL QUALITY BRED COWS AND HEIFERS
- 8—OPEN HEIFERS—SHOW CHAMPIONS AND PROSPECTS

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**SPENCER NORTH Y SALE PAVILION**

$\frac{1}{4}$  Mile North of Junction of Highways 71 and 18

**SPENCER, IOWA**

Sale Starts Promptly at 1:00 p.m. C.S.T.

**ALBERT J. HAMANN, SALE MANGER**

**ROCK RAPIDS, IOWA**

**Cover Photo:** MERDALE TWOFOLD MERCURY by the noted Edellyn Comrade Mercury. His get have been champions and winners in many Midwest shows. He is the sire of 21 head in this sale.

# GENERAL INFORMATION

**TIME**—Saturday, Nov. 25, 1967. Sale will start promptly at 1:00 p.m. C.S.T.

**LOCATION**—The sale will be held in the Spencer North Y Sale Pavilion located  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile north of junction of Highways 71 and 18, Spencer, Iowa.

**TERMS**—The terms of this sale are cash unless other arrangements are made in advance with the seller, and the sale manager is notified of the arrangement. Settlements are to be made with the clerk of the sale immediately at the conclusion of the auction. All stock will be at buyer's risk as soon as bid off.

**GUARANTEE**—All cattle sold in this sale will be sold under the Standard Guarantee endorsed by the American Shorthorn Association.

**LIABILITY**—Each transaction in this sale will constitute a contract between the buyer and seller of each lot. The auctioneers, clerk and sale manager have been employed by the seller for specific tasks not connected with the handling of the cattle or the condition of the premises and they accept no liability, legal or otherwise for the buying contract or for any accident. Every effort will be provided for the safety for those attending this sale but the seller cannot accept liability for injuries that may occur. All persons attend this sale at their own risk.

**HEALTH**—All cattle will be sold according to the health regulations of the State of Iowa. Buyers must be aware of any variation between the laws of Iowa and their own states. Interstate health certificates will be furnished. In addition, calfhood vaccination for Brucellosis has always been practiced.

**CERTIFICATES OF REGISTRY**—Certificates of registry with transfers entered and recorded in the buyer's name will be furnished for each lot sold and for every calf at foot. An application will be furnished for every calf carried in dam. Where footnotes appear in this catalog they were furnished by the seller or written from information supplied by the seller.

**BREEDING DATES**—Announcements from the auction block on sale day regarding breeding dates are final and will take precedence over the data in the catalog.

**AUCTIONEER**—Dick Kane, Wisner, Nebraska.

**SALE MANGER**—Albert J. Hamann, Rock Rapids, Iowa.

**PERSONNEL**—Ted Aegerter, American Shorthorn Ass'n., Seward, Nebr., Bill Stunkel, The Shorthorn World, Fremont, Nebr., J. E. Halsey, Wallaces Farmer, Des Moines, Ia.

**MAIL ORDERS**—Those unable to attend who desire to buy may contact any of the above men, all of whom will be in attendance. Late bids on sale day can be phoned to the Sale Manager who can be reached at the Spencer North Y Sale Pavilion, Phone 712 262-4528, Spencer, Iowa.

**INSURANCE**—Buyers wishing to insure their purchases through Harding & Harding Livestock Insurance can be accommodated by so indicating to the Sale Manager at the sale or to Sale Clerk at time of settlement.



DISPERSION OF THE MERDALE SHORTHORN HERD and Clyde Palmer retiring from the Shorthorn business seems like the end of an era. Both have been in existence as long as this writer can remember.

It is a known fact that the herd was started in 1907 and that Clyde Palmer has owned, cared for and developed his own herd mostly by himself for over fifty years.

Ten years after the herd was started, or in 1917, Clyde joined the boys in Khaki and went off to serve in World War I. He received a degree of disability that has been with him ever since. However upon returning home he obtained a bare piece of land, built some buildings by himself and again was back in the Shorthorn business.

The record of his herd and the reputation he has established for himself as an outstanding breeder and livestock man is common knowledge to several generations.

His breeding program has been closely followed by keen students of genetics. In Calrossie Mercury, Clyde saw a great breed improver. The records show that he has done more than his share to make this come true. Nationwide, the Merdale herd has been known as the last home of Mercury breeding.

It is certain that this sale will interest many, and everyone will agree that no herd can exist for sixty years as a top herd but what there must be individuals, breeding and genes in this group of cattle that the livestock industry can use.

So everyone should attend this sale and give Clyde Palmer the kind of sale he deserves.

Also, the consignment offered by the Russell Logan family are fitting attractions to go with this dispersion.

ALBERT J. HAMANN, SALE MANAGER

WITHOUT ANY APOLOGIES, I FIND IT NECESSARY TO  
DISPERSE MY SHORTHORN HERD.

It will not be easy. It was in 1907 I helped my father bring home his first registered Shorthorns. Less than ten years later I owned my own registered Shorthorns. Except for a few interruptions such as a war they have been my life ever since. I have known the failures and disappointments that every livestockman experiences at some time or another in his life. However, I have also known the joys and satisfaction when your productions are well accepted and highly regarded by experienced and knowledgeable cattlemen. As I review my sixty years of taking care and doing my own work with my own cattle I must truthfully say that my satisfactions far outweigh my disappointments.

My aim has always been to maintain a consistent breeding program. I also felt that the very best seed stock to start with was necessary. When the great Calrossie Mercury was imported to America by Edellyn Farms I felt here was a bull that would advance the Shorthorn breed and knew that sometime I must own a son of his. In a few years I was fortunate enough to obtain such a son in Edellyn Clipper Mercury who did all I expected of him and more for my herd.

The next twenty-five years I have used six more herd bulls that were descendants of Calrossie Mercury. However, I have always line bred very carefully and I believe the record of my herd speaks for itself. A study of the pedigrees in the catalog illustrates my breeding program.

I also feel that the cattle will speak for themselves on sale day. I only hope that the buyers will not discount some of the great hard working brood cows too much because they have a little age and are not in high condition because I know what they can and will do for others as they have done for me.

Since my offering was not large, I was glad to have the Russell Logan family join me in offering some outstanding females that come from good cattle.

Now, since I know that the time has come when I must retire after sixty years of hard work, I am now resigned to turn the herd over to younger and stronger hands and hope to follow their future with interest.

I would appreciate seeing my many friends, past and present, on sale day, November 25th.

CLYDE PALMER



### PRINCIPAL BANKER

Grand Champion bull and \$1700 top of the 1962 Illinois State Sale.  
He is the sire of Lot 1 in this Sale.

#### Lot 1

#### Bull

### D F BRAWITH LEGEND 3260-409

Red, calved July 14, 1965. Bred by Down Farms, Wyoming, Illinois  
and owned by Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. LE 5D5.

Louada Principal 2926895  
Red, Louada Manor Farms

#### SIRE

Principal Banker 3058991  
Red, Prescott Down

Duchess of Gloster 62 2749290  
Red, Carl L. Retzlaff & Sons

Calrossie Legend (15663)  
Red, J. & D. P. MacGillivray

#### DAM

Leveldale Brawith Bud 3091534  
Red, Mathers Bros.

Crichton Brawith Bud 2 3091533  
Dk. Rn., R. H. Waterston

Calrossie Armada  
Red, J. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Muirside Princess Royal 28th  
Red, James Innes & Sons

Tolquhon President  
Red, John L. Sleight  
Duchess of Gloster 59th  
Red, Carl L. Retzlaff & Sons

Calrossie Christmas Carol  
Roan, J. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Calrossie Bonnie Butterfly  
Dk. Roan, J. & D. P. MacGillivray

Tolquhon Bosco  
Roan, J. L. Sleight  
Drynie Brawith 49th  
Roan, Robert Maclean

D F BRAWITH LEGEND — A good headed, rugged, heavy boned bull we purchased in the 1967 Omaha sale. He is sired by Principal Banker, the grand champion and \$1700 top of the 1962 Illinois State Sale. His dam was one of the top selling females in the 1962 Leveldale Sale and is by the noted Calrossie Legend and out of a good imported cow. Only two years old, he sells only because we must disperse. 15 females carrying his service sell. A real herd bull for someone.



Lot 2

Bull

**MERDALE DRAMBUIE 3315-980**

Roan, calved July 23, 1966. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M69.

Merdale Tfd. Mercury 3061153	{	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
<b>SIRE</b>		
Merdale Forward Mercury 3217193	{	Merdale Princess Beauty
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm		White, Clyde Palmer
Augusta 22d 3044054	{	Priam Royal Archer 2
Red, Ervin H. Hamann		Red, Ben G. Studer
		Don Hill Augusta 18th
		Red, S. A. Donahoe
Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153	{	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
<b>DAM</b>		
Merdale Fairy Clipper 2 3217196	{	Merdale Princess Beauty
White, Merdale Farm		White, Clyde Palmer
Merdale Fairy Clip. 3073902	{	Fair Acres Royal
Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son		Red, Chas. Ewald & Son
		Fair Acres Clipper 2d
		Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son

MERDALE DRAMBUIE — A good headed, smooth bull that is ready for service. He is a double bred Merdale Twofold Mercury.

Lot 3

Bull

**MERDALE MERCURY'S HERO 3308-064**

White, calved September 2, 1966. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M76.

Broadblade Threefold 2712952	{	Edelyn Twofold Mercury
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm		Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson
<b>SIRE</b>		
Merdale Polar Mercury 3102023	{	Grassland Secret G 4th
White, Merdale Farm		Roan, E. A. King & Son
Red Verbena 15 2912405	{	Cluny Polaris
Red, Floyd Fanning		Dk. Roan, Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon
		Red Verbena 5th
		Red, Floyd Fanning
Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153	{	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
<b>DAM</b>		
Merdale Florella Ruby W 3181783	{	Merdale Princess Beauty
White, Merdale Farm		White, Clyde Palmer
Merdale Florella R. 10 3073897	{	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
		Merdale Florella Ruby 2d
		Dk. Roan, Gen G. Studer

MERDALE MERCURY'S HERO — A good growthy white bull by Merdale Polar Mercury. His dam comes from our great producing Florella Ruby family.





### MERDALE POLAR MERCURY

A grandson of the noted Edellyn Twofold Mercury. He sired many top calves for us and is the sire of 11 head in this sale.

Lot 4

Bull

### MERDALE MERCURY DISPLAY 3308-058

White, calved October 20, 1966. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris Iowa. RE M75.

Broadblade Threefold 2712952  
Dk. Rn., Broadblade Farm

#### SIRE

Merdale Polar Mercury 3102023  
White, Merdale Farm

Red Verbena 15 2912405  
Red, Floyd Fanning

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

#### DAM

Merdale Fairy Bessie 3204462  
White, Merdale Farm

Merdale Bessie 2 3006027  
Dk. Roan, Clyde Palmer

{ Edellyn Twofold Mercury  
Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson  
Grassland Secret G 4th  
Roan, E. A. King & Son

{ Cluny Polaris  
Dk. Rn., Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon  
Red Verbena 5th  
Red, Floyd Fanning

{ Mercury's Display  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas  
Merdale Princess Beauty  
White, Clyde Palmer

{ Mercury's Display  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas  
Aksarben Bessie 2d  
Roan, E. A. Pulliam

**MERDALE MERCURY DISPLAY** — A real top senior bull calf that would have given a good account of himself if he had been exhibited. He is by the good sire, Merdale Polar Mercury who was a grandson of the Iowa State Fair Champion, Edellyn Twofold Mercury. His dam comes from a good producing Bessie family that was a granddaughter of Edellyn Comrade Mercury. This calf will make a herd sire.

Lot 5

Bull

**MERDALE BAYARDO 3308-059**

Red, calved September 11, 1966. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M77.

Mercury's Display 2802678 Red, Nils I. Aspaas	{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury Red, Thos. E. Wilson Linderwood Eliza 7th Red, Nils I. Aspaas
<b>SIRE</b> Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153 Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	{ Broadblade Threefold Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm Random's Model Beauty Roan, H. H. Humphrey
Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449 White, Clyde Palmer	{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury Red, Thos. E. Wilson Linderwood Eliza 7th Red, Nils I. Aspaas
Mercury's Display 2802678 Red, Nils I. Aspaas	{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury Red, Thos. E. Wilson Linderwood Eliza 7th Red, Nils I. Aspaas
<b>DAM</b> Merdale Florella Ruby 3 2979523 Dk. Roan, Clyde Palmer	{ Beaufort Bayardo Dk. Roan, Lord Lovat Floretta Ruby 4th Roan, Paul Aldinger
Merdale Florella R. 2 2736585 Dk. Rn., Ben G. Studer	

MERDALE BAYARDO — A very good bull by the good sire Merdale Twofold Mercury and out of a very well bred dam.

Lot 6

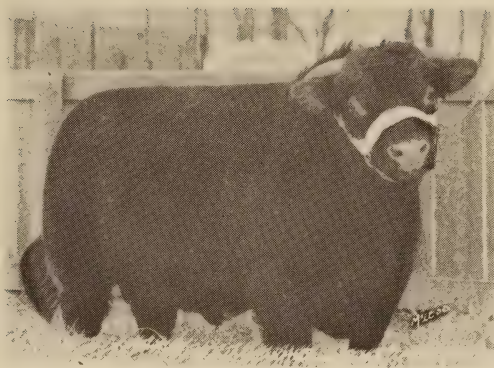
Bull

**MERDALE FLASH MERCURY 3315-978**

Dark Roan, calved December 27, 1966. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M83.

Mercury's Display 2802678 Red, Nils I. Aspaas	{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury Red, Thos. E. Wilson Linderwood Eliza 7th Red, Nils I. Aspaas
<b>SIRE</b> Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153 Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	{ Broadblade Threefold Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm Random's Model Beauty Roan, H. H. Humphrey
Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449 White, Clyde Palmer	{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury Red, Thos. E. Wilson Linderwood Eliza 7th Red, Nils I. Aspaas
Merdale Polar Mercury 3102023 White, Merdale Farm	{ Broadblade Threefold Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm Red Verbena 15th Red, Floyd Fanning
<b>DAM</b> Merdale Clipper Flash 3172165 Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	{ Fair Acres Royal Red, Chas. Ewald & Son Fair Acres Clipper 2d Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son
Merdale Fairy Clipper 3073902 Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son	

MERDALE FLASH MERCURY — A good husky calf with quality. He proves that the Merdale Twofold Mercury and the Merdale Polar Mercury cross works well.



### MERCURY'S DISPLAY

One of the greatest sires ever in the Merdale herd. He is the sire of 5 lots in this sale and the grandsire of many.

Lot 7

Bull

### MERDALE FINANCIER 3318-369

Dark Roan, calved January 16, 1967. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M80.

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

#### SIRE

Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

Dryn timer Drambuie 2908184  
Dk. Rn., Robert Maclean

#### DAM

Fair Acres Clipper 2 2992549  
Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son

Leveldale Clipper 9 2753695  
Roan, Mathers Bros.

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Broadblade Threefold  
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm  
Random's Model Beauty  
Roan, H. H. Humphrey

{ Glastullich Drambuie  
Dk. Roan, Wm. J. MacGillivray  
Dryn timer Rosewood 97th  
Red, Robert Maclean

{ Kair Financier  
Red, G. J. C. Anderson  
Morphie Lucy  
Dk. Roan, W. L. Anderson

MERDALE FINANCIER — A junior calf that is a real prospect. He is by the great sire of many champions, Merdale Twofold Mercury, and out of a great producing Clipper cow by the well known Imp. Dryn timer Drambuie.



Lot 8

Bull

# **MERDALE KING MERCURY 3318-368**

Red, calved February 1, 1967. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M85.

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

## **SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

Cluny Polaris 2784681  
Dk. Rn., Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon

## **DAM**

C Queen Type 2871722  
Dk. Roan, Floyd Fanning

Queen Type 3d 2359277  
Roan, Floyd Fanning

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Broadblade Threefold  
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm  
Random's Model Beauty  
Roan, H. H. Humphrey

{ Chapelton Crusader  
White, Walter Biggar & Son  
Cluny Pauline 71st  
Red, Mrs. B. H. Linzee Gordon

{ Edellyn Golden Count  
Roan, Thos. E. Wilson  
July Queen's Type  
Roan, E. S. Fanning & Son

MERDALE KING MERCURY — Another good Merdale Twofold Mercury calf out of a good producing dam by the Perth first prize winner, Imp. Cluny Polaris.

Lot 9

Bull

# **CLIPPER TWOFOLD MERCURY 3318-370**

Red, calved February 7, 1967. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M84.

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

## **SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

Merdale Clipper Merc. 3042885  
Red, Merdale Farm

## **DAM**

Merdale Gold Gloster 3148921  
Red, Merdale Farm

Golden Gloster 14 2522893  
Dk. Roan, Floyd Fanning

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Broadblade Threefold  
Dk. Rn., Broadblade Farm  
Random's Model Beauty  
Roan, H. H. Humphrey

{ Mercury's Display  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas  
Merdale Clara J  
Red, Clyde Palmer

{ Curtiss Candy Mercury 2d  
Roan, Curtiss Candy Co.  
Golden Gloster 4th  
White, E. S. Fanning & Son

CLIPPER TWOFOLD MERCURY — This calf by Merdale Twofold Mercury is a great prospect. His dam comes from the same family that produced an Interstate sale grand champion female and reserve champion bull.



### MERDALE AUGUSTA SECRET 23D

Iowa Royal Reserve Champion female as a junior calf that sold for \$500. Her dam is lot 10.

**Lot 10**

**Female**

### AUGUSTA SECRET 9TH 2836-291

Red, calved July 31, 1954. Bred by Ervin H. Hamann, Inwood, Iowa.  
Owned by Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE H16.

Beaufort Bolido (361044)	{ Bapton Battleship
Dk. Roan, Lord Lovat	{ Red, J. V. Rank
<b>SIRE</b>	{ Orange Talisman
Kair Commando 2605399	{ Dk. Roan, Albert Jas. Marshall
Dk. Roan, Reford Gardhouse	{ Bapton Commando
Kair Fairy 2580068	{ Red, J. V. Rank
Roan, G. J. C. Anderson	{ Kair Fancy
	{ Dk. Roan, G. J. C. Anderson
Edellyn High Cmd. 2043434	{ Edellyn Command
Roan, Thos. E. Wilson	{ Roan, Chas. A. Linzee Gordon
<b>DAM</b>	{ Collynie Lady Augusta
Augusta's Secret 6 2341444	{ Roan, Duthie Webster
Red, Albert Hamann	{ Marellbar Scottish Hero
Augusta's Secret 2 2112354	{ Red, Geishecker Bros.
Red, Albert Hamann	{ Augusta Lass
	{ White, Albert Hamann

AUGUSTA SECRET 9TH — A really well bred cow with some age that always has been and still is a great producer. She was sired by Imp. Kair Commando by the Perth champion, Beaufort Bolido. Her dam from a noted Augusta family is a granddaughter of the noted Imp. in dam Edellyn Command. She has produced many top bulls and females, among them the reserve champion female as a junior calf of the great Iowa Royal show and sale that sold for \$500. She sells with an outstanding JUNE 29 RED BULL CALF AT FOOT by the great sire, Merdale Twofold Mercury, and was rebred on Oct. 5 to our outstanding junior herd sire, D F Brawith Legend who also sells. This is still a very valuable combination.

**MERDALE CLARA 2873-326**

White, calved Sept. 1, 1955. Bred by Clyde Palmer, Harris, Iowa.  
Owned by Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE P33.

Edellyn Twofold Merc. 2390225 { Edellyn Diamond Mercury  
Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson { Roan, Thos. E. Wilson  
Edellyn Princess Royal 19th  
Roan, Thos. E. Wilson

**SIRE**

Broadblade Threefold 2712952

Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm

Grassland Secret G 4 2532962  
Roan, E. A. King & Son

{ Edellyn Marquis Mercury  
Roan, Thos. E. Wilson  
Strowan Secret G 3d  
Roan, Benroth & Griffith

Scotsdale Broadboy 2592514  
Red, S. G. Bennett

{ O A C Mayflower's Ransom  
Red, Ontario Agr'l College  
Saltoun Broadhooks Gem  
Dk. Roan, A. M. T. Fletcher

**DAM**

S F Clara 42d 2618157

Dk. Roan, John Swanson & Sons

Hillbrook Clara 40 2322008  
White, John E. Greig

{ N U Gold Nugget  
White, Univ. of Nebraska  
Hillbrook Clara  
Roan, John E. Greig

**MERDALE CLARA** — Here is one of the great producing cows in the herd. Her good sire was by the Iowa State Fair champion, Edellyn Twofold Mercury. Her dam from the great Clara family that were the very tops in the Greig and Swanson herds is sired by the C. N. E. junior champion, Scotsdale Broadboy. The granddam was sired by a half brother to an international grand champion steer over all breeds. She is due to calve on Dec. 16 to the service of D F Brawith Legend and should have a great calf. A good daughter also sells.

**MERDALE FLORELLA RUBY 5TH 2940-155**

Dark roan, calved June 18, 1957. Bred by Clyde Palmer, Harris, Iowa  
and owned by Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE P55.

Edellyn Com. Merc. 2611487  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson

{ Edellyn All-Star Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Augusta 54th  
Red, Beath Farms

**SIRE**

Mercury's Display 2802678

Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Linderwood Eliza 7 2692627  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ M F Micah Mercury  
Roan, Mrs. Theodocia H. Walter  
Dell's Eliza 4th  
Red, Leonard L. Dunn

Prince William 2186498  
Red, James Durno

{ Coldoch Sensation  
Red, W. M. Snadden  
Collynie Pauline  
Red, Duthie Webster

**DAM**

Floretta Ruby 4 2627882

Roan, Paul Aldinger

Merdale Florella Ruby 2410369  
Dk. Roan, Clyde Palmer

{ Edellyn Clipper Mercury  
Roan, Thos. E. Wilson  
Mercury Florella  
Dk. Roan, Clyde Palmer

**MERDALE FLORELLA RUBY 5TH** — Another one of our top cows from one of our very best families. By the great sire, Mercury's Display, whose sire was one of tops in an Edellyn sale and whose grandsire was an Iowa State Fair champion. Her dam was by Imp. Prince William who was by the same sire as the famous Edellyn Royal Leader. The dam is also a granddaughter of the great old Edellyn Clipper Mercury who was by the famous Calrossie Mercury. She sells with a MAY 21 WHITE BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Twofold Mercury and was rebred on Sept. 14 to D F Brawith Legend.



**Lot 13****Female****MERDALE MISSIE MERCURY 2979-525**

Red, calved June 2, 1958. Bred by Clyde Palmer, Harris Iowa;  
2d owner, Sept. 10, 1958, Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE P66.

**SIRE**

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Edellyn Comrade Mercury 2611487  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson

Linderwood Eliza 7th 2692627  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**DAM**

Missie G R Juggler 2805466  
Red, P. H. Warwick

Juggler Lad Mercury 2697513  
Red, P. H. Warwick

Missie G R Mercury 2614361  
Red, P. H. Warwick

**MERDALE MISSIE MERCURY** — This cow traces many times on both sides of her pedigree to Calrossie Mercury. She sells with an outstanding **APRIL 28 RED BULL CALF AT FOOT** by Merdale Twofold Mercury and was rebred on July 10 to Merdale Polar Mercury. A real three-in-one combination.

**Lot 14****Female****FAIR ACRES CLIPPER 2D 2992-549**

Roan, calved July 14, 1958. Bred by Chas. Ewald & Son, Waldorf, Minn.  
Owned by Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. LE 8E19.

**SIRE**

Dryn timer Drambuie 2908184  
Dk. Roan, Robert Maclean

Glastullich Drambuie (396232)  
Dk. Roan, Wm. J. MacGillivray

Dryn timer Rosewood 97 2908182  
Red, Robert Maclean

**DAM**

Leveldale Clipper 9 2753695  
Roan, Mathers Bros.

Kair Financier 2716118  
Red, G. J. C. Anderson

Morphie Lucy 2716147  
Dk. Roan, W. L. Anderson

**FAIR ACRES CLIPPER 2D** — Here is a cow of all imported breeding. Her sire, Imp. Dryn timer Drambuie, was a Minnesota State Fair champion. Her dam was one of the tops in a Leveldale sale and was by the well known Imp. Kair Financier and out of a good imported Morphie cow. This cow has produced some of our top selling cattle. A good son sells in this sale and she is well along and due to calve Jan. 1 to the service of D F Brawith Legend.

**MERDALE BESSIE 2D 3006-027**

Dark Roan, calved Nov. 19, 1958. Bred by Clyde Palmer, Harris, Iowa;  
Calved property of Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M4.

Edellyn Com. Merc. 2611487  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson

{ Edellyn All-Star Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Augusta 54th  
Red, Beath Farms

**SIRE**

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ M F Micah Mercury  
Roan, Mrs. Theodocia H. Walter  
Dell's Eliza 4th  
Red, Leonard L. Dunn

Linderwood Eliza 7 2692627  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Mardale Royal Leader 2529330  
Red, E. H. Retzlaff & Sons

{ Don Hill Royal Leader 4th  
Red, S. A. Donahoe  
Duchess of Gloster 3d  
Red, Ernest H. Retzlaff & Sons

**DAM**

Aksarben Bessie 2 2696318  
Roan, E. A. Pulliam

Will-A-Dell Bessie 13 2329908  
Roan, W. A. Davis & Son

{ Braedoon Band Master  
Red, Kenneth C. Gray  
Will-A-Dell Bessie 6th  
White, Will A. Davis & Son

MERDALE BESSIE 2D — Backed by good solid Mercury breeding on the sire's side this cow comes from a great Bessie family and has been the producer of some of our top cattle. She sells with a MAY 16 DARK RED BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Twofold Mercury and was bred July 18 to D F Brawith Legend.

**AUGUSTA 22D 3044-054**

Red, calved Apr. 24, 1959. Bred by Ervin H. Hamann, Inwood, Iowa;  
2d owner, Apr. 15, 1960, Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE H55.

Louada Golden Archer 2880987  
Red, Louada Manor Farms

{ Calrossie Armada  
Red, J. D. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Klaymor Clipper 10th  
Dk. Roan, W. J. Russell

**SIRE**

Priam Royal Archer 2 2911911  
Red, Ben G. Studer

{ Lawton Priam  
Red, W. & P. H. Henderson  
Beaufort Ardena Rothés  
Red, Lord Lovat

Ardena Rothés Maid 5 2794781  
Red, Ben G. Studer

Gregg Farms Mercury 2424648  
Roan, D. M. Gregg

{ Edellyn Valiant Mercury  
Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson  
Missie 235th  
Red, D. M. Gregg

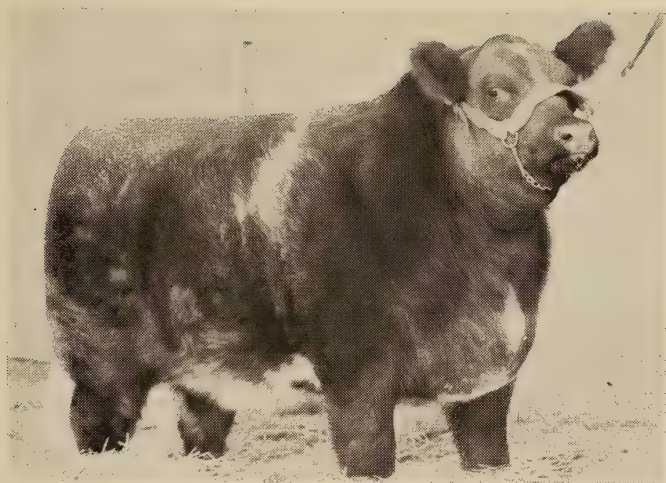
**DAM**

Don Hill Augusta 18 2627876  
Red, S. A. Donahoe

Augusta 216th 2202068  
Red, Joseph M. Collins

{ Newallyn Ringleader  
Roan, Harry A. Newman  
Augusta 98th  
R&W, Jos. M. Collins

AUGUSTA 22D — A very well bred cow that has been a consistent producer from a young age. By Priam Royal Archer who sired a Denver Shorthorn champion and Sioux Empire reserve champion over all breeds steer, and an Iowa Royal reserve champion female. Her dam was sired by the American Royal champion Gregg Farms Mercury, and the granddam was a half sister to an International Congress champion and sale top. She sells with an outstanding weight-for-age APRIL 25 DARK ROAN BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Polar Mercury, and was pasture re-bred in the summer to D F Brawith Legend.



### A Many Times Champion Steer

that was a Denver Shorthorn Champion and a Clay County Fair and Sioux Empire open show reserve champion over all breeds. He was sired by Priam Royal Archer 2d who was also the sire of Lots 16 and 17 in this sale.

**Lot 17**

**Female**

### AUGUSTA SECRET 22D 3044-052

Red, calved May 2, 1959. Bred by Ervin H. Hamann, Inwood, Iowa;  
2d owner, Apr. 15, 1960, Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE H54.

Louada Golden Archer 2880987  
Red, Louada Manor Farm

{ Calrossie Armada  
Red, J. D. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Klaymor Clipper 10th  
Dk. Roan, W. J. Russell

#### SIRE

Priam Royal Archer 2 2911911  
Red, Ben G. Studer

{ Lawton Priam  
Red, W. & P. H. Henderson  
Beaufort Ardean Rothés  
Red, Lord Lovat

Ardena Rothés Maid 5 2794781  
Red, Ben G. Studer

Bonnie's Favorite Hero 2454082  
Red, Held Bros.

{ Edelyn Favorite Hero  
Red, J. D. Allen  
Bonnie Blossom  
Roan, Held Bros.

#### DAM

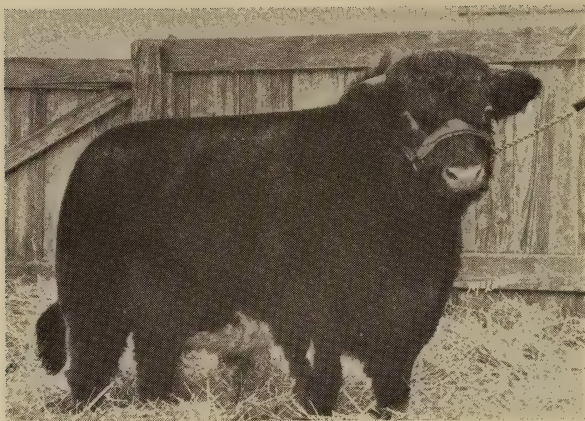
Augusta Secret 8 2802327  
Red, H. A. Sindt

Mercury Augusta 4 2698583  
Red, H. A. Sindt

{ Rev-O-Noc Banker  
Roan, C. B. Conover & Sons  
Mercury Augusta  
Red, Albert Hamann

AUGUSTA SECRET 22D — Another one of those good producing cows by Priam Royal Archer 2D, and out of a well known Augusta family. We sold one of her calves privately at 12 months of age for \$600.00. She sells with a MAY 20 BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Twofold Mercury, and was rebred Sept. 12 to D F Brawith Legend. This mating should produce a great calf.





### MERDALE RAIDER MERCURY

The 1965 Interstate Show and Sale reserve Champion bull. Lot 18 is out of the same dam.

Lot 18

Female

### MERDALE VERBENA 2D 3073-898

Red, calved July 20, 1960. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M33.

Edellyn Com. Merc. 2611487  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson

#### SIRE

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Linderwood Eliza 7 2692627  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Cluny Polaris 2784681  
Dk. Rn., Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon

#### DAM

Red Verbena 15 2912405  
Red, Floyd Fanning

Red Verbena 5 2768493  
Red, Floyd Fanning

Edellyn All-Star Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Augusta 54th  
Red, Beath Farms

M F Micah Mercury  
Roan, Mrs. Theodocia H. Walter  
Dell's Eliza 4th  
Red, Lecond L. Dunn

Chapelton Crusader  
White, Walter Biggar & Son  
Cluny Pauline 71st  
Red, Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon

Blythwood Regalite  
Red, C. M. Blyth  
Red Verbera 3d  
Red, E. S. Fanning & Son

MERDALE VERBENA 2D — A good cow by Mercury's Display and from the great old Verbena family. Her dam by Imp. Cluny Polaris produced a reserve champion bull at the 1965 Interstate show and sale. She sells with an outstanding April 17 red heifer calf at foot by Merdale Twofold Mercury, and was pasture rebred in the summer to D F Brawith Legend.

Lot 19

Female

**MERDALE FAIRY CLIPPER 3073-902**

Roan, calved Oct. 16, 1960. Bred by Chas. Ewald & Son, Waldorf, Minnesota;  
Calved property of Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M38.

Drynie Drambuie 2908184	{	Glastullich Drambuie
Dk. Roan, Robert Maclean		Dk. Roan, W. J. MacGillivray
<b>SIRE</b>		Drynie Rosewood 97th
Fair Acres Royal 2961015	{	Red, Robert Maclean
Red, Chas. Ewald & Son		Bapton Upright
Pittodrie Pr. Rosalie 2537670	{	Red, J. V. Rank
Red, R. Laidlaw Smith		Cluny Princess Royal 15th
		Red, Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon
Drynie Drambuie 2908184	{	Glastullich Drambuie
Dk. Roan, Robert Maclean		Dk. Rn., W. J. MacGillivray
<b>DAM</b>		Drynie Rosewood 97th
Fair Acres Clipper 2 2992549	{	Red, Robert Maclean
Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son		Kair Financier
Leveldale Clipper 9 2753695	{	Red, G. J. C. Anderson
Roan, Mathers Bros.		Morphie Lucy
		Dk. Roan, W. L. Anderson

MERDALE FAIRY CLIPPER — A richly bred cow backed by the very best of all imported breeding. She sells with a really top JUNE 24 BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Twofold Mercury. A full brother to this calf sold in an Iowa Royal sale at 10 months of age for \$550. She was rebred Sept. 7 to D F Brawith Legend.

Lot 20

Female

**MERDALE AUGUSTA 3087-837**

Red, calved Apr. 22, 1961. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M49.

<b>SIRE</b>	Edellyn Comrade Mercury 2611487
Mercury's Display 2802678	Red, Thos. E. Wilson
Red, Nils I. Aspaas	Linderwood Eliza 7 2692627
	Red, Nils I. Aspaas
<b>DAM</b>	Priam Royal Archer 2 2911911
Augusta 22d 3044054	Red, Ben G. Studer
Red, Ervin H. Hamann	Don Hill Augusta 18 2627876
	Red, S. A. Donahoe

MERDALE AUGUSTA — This is the last female sired by the great old bull, Mercury's Display. Note the breeding of her great producing dam that also sells. She sells with a real good May 2 BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Twofold Mercury and was pasture rebred in the summer to D F Brawith Legend.

**Lot 21****Female****MERDALE LADY MISS 3102-022**

Red, calved June 3, 1961. Bred and owned by  
 Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M51.

**SIRE**

Broadblade Threefold 2712952  
 Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm

Edelyn Twofold Mercury 2390225  
 Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson

Grassland Secret G 4 2532962  
 Roan, E. A. King & Son

**DAM**

Missie G R Juggler 2805466  
 Red, P. H. Warwick

Juggler Lad Mercury 2697513  
 Red, P. H. Warwick

Missie G R Mercury 2614361  
 Red, P. H. Warwick

MERDALE LADY MISS — Here is one of the top cows in the herd with a pedigree that is full of Mercury breeding. She sells with a big rugged APRIL 26 RED BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Twofold Mercury and was rebred July 10 to D F Brawith Legend.

**Lot 22****Female****MERDALE FAIRY CLIPPER 2ND 3168-287**

Roan, calved Mar. 14, 1963. Bred and owned by  
 Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M23.

**SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153  
 Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

Mercury's Display 2802678  
 Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Merdale Princess Beauty 2837449  
 White, Clyde Palmer

**DAM**

Fair Acres Clipper 2 2992549  
 Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son

Drynne Drambuie 2908184  
 Dk. Roan, Robert Maclean

Leveldale Clipper 9 2753695  
 Roan, Mathers Bros.

MERDALE FAIRY CLIPPER 2ND — This cow has been one of our best producers. By Merdale Twofold Mercury she is out of our old foundation Clipper cow that also sells. She sells with an October 20 WHITE BULL CALF AT FOOT by Merdale Polar Mercury and will probably be rebred before sale day to D F Brawith Legend.



### **EDELLYN CLIPPER MERCURY**

A great son of the famous Calrossie Mercury. For 10 years he was herd sire in the Merdale herd and many in this offering are his descendants.

**Lot 23**

**Female**

### **MERDALE FLORELLA RUBY W 3181-783**

White, calved July 2, 1963. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M35.

#### **SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

#### **DAM**

Merdale Florella R 10 3073897  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

Merdale Florella Ruby 2 2736585  
Dk. Roan, Ben G. Studer

**MERDALE FLORELLA RUBY W** — Of proven breeding, this cow sells with an **AUGUST 28 WHITE BULL CALF AT FOOT** by Merdale Polar Mercury and was rebred Sept. 17 to D F Brawith Legend.



Lot 24

Female

**MERDALE FAIRY BESSIE 3204-462**

White, calved Feb. 27, 1964. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M4.

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

{ Broadblade Threefold  
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm  
Random's Model Beauty  
Roan, H. H. Humphrey

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**DAM**

Merdale Bessie 2 3006027  
Dk. Roan, Clyde Palmer

{ Mardale Royal Leader  
Red, Ernest H. Retzlaff & Sons  
Will-A-Dell Bessie 13th  
Roan, Will A. Davis & Son

Aksarben Bessie 2 2696318  
Roan, E. A. Pulliam

MERDALE FAIRY BESSIE — A good young cow that is a double bred granddaughter of the great sire, Mercury's Display. She has a good white bull in this sale that sells as a separate lot. She was bred June 7 to Merdale Polar Mercury.

Lot 25

Female

**MERDALE LADY FLORELLA 3204-458**

Doak Roan, calved Apr. 1, 1964. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M7.

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

{ Broadblade Threefold  
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm  
Random's Model Beauty  
Roan, H. H. Humphrey

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**DAM**

Merdale Florella Ruby 5 2940155  
Dk. Roan, Clyde Palmer

{ Prince William  
Red, James Durno  
Merdale Florella Ruby  
Dk. Roan, Clyde Palmer

Floretta Ruby 4 2627882  
Roan, Paul Aldinger

MERDALE LADY FLORELLA — Another one of our good young brood cows that will calve before sale day to the service of Merdale Polar Mercury.

Lot 26

Female

**MERDALE FAIRY CLIPPER 2ND 3217-196**

White, calved May 21, 1964. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M16.

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

{ Broadblade Threefold  
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm  
Random's Model Beauty  
Roan, M. H. Humphrey

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

Fair Acres Royal 2961015  
Red, Chas. Ewald & Son

{ Drynie Drambuie  
Dk. Roan, Robert Maclean  
Pittodrie Princess Rosalie  
Red, R. Laidlaw Smith

**DAM**

Merdale Fairy Clipper 3073902  
Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son

{ Drynie Drambuie  
Dk. Roan, Robert Maclean  
Leveldale Clipper 9th  
Roan, Mathers Bros.

Fair Acres Clipper 2 2992549  
Roan, Chas. Ewald & Son

MERDALE FAIRY CLIPPER 2ND — One of our young Clipper cows that  
will calve before sale day to the service of Merdale Polar Mercury.

Lot 27

Female

**MERDALE MISSIE MERCURY 2ND 3217-191**

Dark Roan, calved July 2, 1964. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M18.

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**SIRE**

Merdale Twofold Mercury 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

{ Broadblade Threefold  
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm  
Random's Model Beauty  
Roan, H. H. Humphrey

Merdale Pr. Beauty 2837449  
White, Clyde Palmer

Mercury's Display 2802678  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

{ Edellyn Comrade Mercury  
Red, Thos. E. Wilson  
Linderwood Eliza 7th  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

**DAM**

Merdale Missie Mercury 2979525  
Red, Clyde Palmer

{ Juggler Lad Mercury  
Red, P. H. Warwick  
Missie G R Mercury  
Red, P. H. Warwick

Missie G. R. Juggler 2805466  
Red, P. H. Warwick

MERDALE MISSIE MERCURY 2ND — This double bred young Mercury's  
Display cow has an outstanding JANUARY 1, 1967 DARK ROAN HEIFER in the  
sale that sells as a separate lot. This cow is well along and due to calve the  
first part of January to the service of Mercury's Parade who sold in an Iowa  
Royal sale for \$550 as a calf.

Lot 28

Female

**LINDERWOOD AUGUSTA 63RD 3293-550**

Roan, calved April 13, 1966. Bred by Linderwood Farm, Baltic, South Dakota;  
2nd owner, October 15, 1966, Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE 814.

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	Red, Nils I. Aspaas
	Merdale Princess Beauty
	White, Clyde Palmer

**SIRE**

Merdale Brave Mercury 3126436  
White, Merdale Farm

S F Clara 42 2618157	Scotsdale Broadboy
Dk. Rn., J. Swanson & Sons	Red, S. G. Bennett
	Hillbrook Clara 40th
	White, John E. Greig

D C Ironclad Mrh. 4 2893971	Hayard Monarch
Red, Cyrus S. Eaton	Red, N. D. Latimer
	Corrimony Butterfly
	Roan, J. M. Grigor

**DAM**

L F Augusta 39 3109881  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

L F Augusta 19 2878193	Edelbyn Comrade Mercury
Red, Nils I. Aspaas	Red, Thos. E. Wilson
	Linderwood Augusta 4th
	Red, Nils I. Aspaas

LINDERWOOD AUGUSTA 63RD — A young heifer we purchased from Linderwood Farm because so much of her breeding compared to the breeding in our herd. Her sire was one of the Sioux Empire sale tops. Her dam was by one of the International Congress sale tops sired by the noted Hayard Monarch who made a great record in the Acadia herd at Northfield, Ohio. She was bred August 18th to D F Brawith Legend.

Lot 29

Female

**LINDERWOOD AUGUSTA 61ST 3292-627**

Dark Roan, calved May 11, 1966. Bred by Nils I. Aspaas, Baltic, South Dakota;  
Calved property of Linderwood Farm, Baltic, South Dakota; 2nd owner,  
October 15, 1966, Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE 822.

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	Red, Nils I. Aspaas
	Merdale Princess Beauty
	White, Clyde Palmer

**SIRE**

Merdale Brave Mercury 3126436  
White, Merdale Farm

S F Clara 42 2618157	Scotsdale Broadboy
Dk. Rn., J. Swanson & Sons	Red, S. G. Bennett
	Hillbrook Clara 40th
	White, John E. Greig

D C Ironclad Mrch. 4 2893971	Hayard Monarch
Red, Cyrus S. Eaton	Red, N. D. Latimer
	Corrimony Butterfly
	Roan, J. M. Grigor

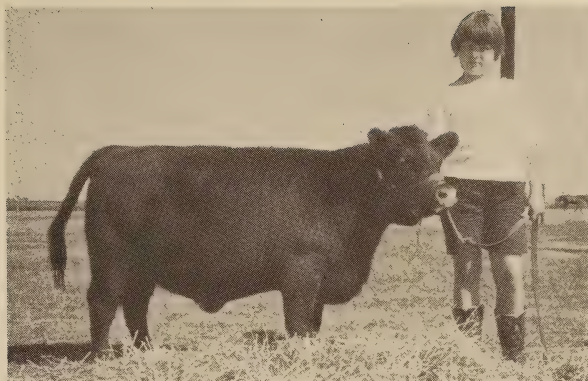
**DAM**

Linderwood Augusta 35 3050507  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

L F Augusta 25 2899276	Linderwood Comrade 20th
Roan, Nils I. Aspaas	Red, Nils I. Aspaas
	Linderwood Augusta
	Roan, Nils I. Aspaas

LINDERWOOD AUGUSTA 61ST — Another great granddaughter of the noted sires, Mercury's Display and Hayard Monarch. She was bred Sept. 4 to D F Brawith Legend and should produce a great calf.





### MERDALE VERBENA M L

At the halter is Mary Lou Palmer, the junior member of the Palmer family.

Lot 30

**MERDALE VERBENA M L 3313-813**

Female

Red, calved November 15, 1966. Bred by Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa;  
2nd owner, April 20, 1967, Mary Lou Palmer, Harris, Iowa. RE M79.

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

{ Mercury's Display  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas  
Merdale Princess Beauty  
White, Clyde Palmer

#### SIRE

Merdale Forward Mercury 3217193  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

{ Priam Royal Archer 2d  
Red, Ben G. Studer  
Don Hill Augusta 18th  
Red, S. A. Donahoe

Augusta 22d 3044054  
Red, Ervin H. Hamann

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

{ Mercury's Display  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas  
Merdale Princess Beauty  
White, Clyde Palmer

#### DAM

Merdale Verbena 3 3172158  
Red, Merdale Farm

{ Cluny Polaris  
Dk. Roan, Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon  
Red Verbena 5th  
Red, Floyd Fanning

Red Verbena 15 2912405  
Red, Floyd Fanning

**MERDALE VERBENA M L** — An outstanding short aged senior heifer calf that is a double bred granddaughter of the great sire of many champions, Merdale Twofold Mercury. This sweet little heifer calf was the first 4-H club project of Mary Lou Palmer, and exhibited at the 1967 Osceola County fair where she stood in the top group. She is a real show prospect and will make a real brood cow.

Lot 31

Female

# LINDERWOOD ELIZA 55TH 3292-202

Red, calved May 19, 1966. Bred and owned by Linderwood Farm, Baltic, South Dakota. Second owner Oct. 15, 1966 Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE 817.

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153	{	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
	{	Merdale Princess Beauty
		White, Clyde Palmer

## SIRE

Merdale Brave Mercury 3126436  
White, Merdale Farm

S F Clara 42 2618157	{	Scotsdale Broadboy
Dk. Rn., J. Swanson & Sons		Red, S. G. Bennett
	{	Hillbrook Clara 40th
		White, John E. Greig

D C Ironclad Mrch. 4 2893971	{	Hayard Monarch
Red, Cyrus S. Eaton		Red, N. D. Latimer
		Corrimony Butterfly
		Roan, J. M. Grigor

## DAM

Linderwood Eliza 36 3107914  
Red, Nils I. Aspaas

L F Eliza 19 2947998	{	Linderwood Viking
Red, Nils I. Aspaas		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
	{	Linderwood Eliza 2d
		Red, Nils I. Aspaas

LINDERWOOD ELIZA 55TH — Another good heifer by the Sioux Empire winner, Merdale Brave Mercury and out of a dam by an International Congress sale top from a real good Eliza family. She was bred Sept. 3 to D F Brawith Legend.

Lot 32

Female

# MERDALE NEW YEAR'S MISSIE 3315-979

Dark Roan, calved January 1, 1967. Bred and owned by Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M81.

Broadblade Threefold 2712952	{	Edellyn Twofold Mercury
Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm		Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson
		Grassland Secret G 4th
	{	Roan, E. A. King & Son

## SIRE

Merdale Polar Mercury 3102023  
White, Merdale Farm

Red Verbena 15 2912405	{	Cluny Polaris
Red, Floyd Fanning		Dk. Roan, Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon
	{	Red Verbena 5th
		Red, Floyd Fanning

Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153	{	Mercury's Display
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
		Merdale Princess Beauty
		White, Clyde Palmer

## DAM

Merdale Missie Merc. 2 3217191  
Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm

Merdale Missie Merc. 2979525	{	Mercury's Display
Red, Clyde Palmer		Red, Nils I. Aspaas
	{	Missie G R Juggler
		Red, P. H. Warwick

MERDALE NEW YEAR'S MISSIE — This is an outstanding junior heifer calf that would make a real show prospect for the 1968 shows. She is backed by the very best of proven breeding. Her good producing dam also sells in this sale.

Lot 33

Female

**MERDALE CLARA 10TH 3318-371**

White, calved January 12, 1967. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M82.

Broadblade Threefold 2712952 D. Rn., Broadblade Farm	{ Edellyn Twofold Mercury Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson Grassland Secret G 4th Roan, E. A. King & Son
<b>SIRE</b> Merdale Polar Mercury 3102023 White, Merdale Farm	{ Cluny Polaris Dk. Roan, Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon Red Verbena 5th Red, Floyd Fanning
Red Verbena 15 2912405 Red, Floyd Fanning	
Broadblade Threefold 2712952 Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm	{ Edellyn Twofold Mercury Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson Grassland Secret G 4th Roan, E. A. King & Son
<b>DAM</b> Merdale Clara 2873326 White, Clyde Palmer	{ Scotsdale Broadboy Red, S. G. Bennett Hillbrook Clara 40th White, John E. Greig
S F Clara 42 2618157 Dk. Rn., J. Swanson & Sons	

MERDALE CLARA 10TH — Another sweet little junior heifer calf by Merdale Polar Mercury and from the consistent producing Clara family. These junior heifer calves will appeal to many, and would make ideal prospects for junior club projects.

Lot 34

Female

**MERDALE RED RUBY**

Red, calved May 25, 1967. Bred and owned by  
Merdale Farm, Harris, Iowa. RE M11.

Broadblade Threefold 2712952 Dk. Roan, Broadblade Farm	{ Edellyn Twofold Mercury Dk. Roan, Thos. E. Wilson Grassland Secret G 4th Roan, E. A. King & Son
<b>SIRE</b> Merdale Polar Mercury 3102023 White, Merdale Farm	{ Cluny Polaris Dk. Roan, Mrs. B. H. L. Gordon Red Verbena 5th Red, Floyd Fanning
Red Verbena 15 2912405 Red, Floyd Fanning	
Merdale Twofold Merc. 3061153 Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	{ Mercury's Display Red, Nils I. Aspaas Merdale Princess Beauty White, Clyde Palmer
<b>DAM</b> Merdale Flora Ruby 3146-853 Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	{ Mercury's Display Red, Nils I. Aspaas Merdale Florella Ruby 2d Dk. Roan, Ben G. Studer
Merdale Frla. Ruby 10 3073897 Dk. Roan, Merdale Farm	

MERDALE RED RUBY — This heifer calf had the misfortune to lose her dam soon after calving and had to be raised by hand. However, she is developing well, and considering her proven breeding should make a good brood female.



The next five lots in this catalog are consigned by the Russell Logan family of Spencer, Iowa. Their herd has long been recognized as being one of the very select, small herds that has consistently produced many champions, both steers and purebred heifers in strong 4-H shows. Since they cannot retain all their top females, they are making this guest consignment.

Lot 35

Female

**CLARA TAFFY 3270-899**

Red, calved October 10, 1965. Bred and owned by  
Susan Logan, Spencer, Iowa. RE 141.

Aberfeldy Woodman 3079939  
Red, Reford W. Gardhouse

**SIRE**

Millbrook Woodman 13 3128033  
Red, William H. McDonnell

Scotch Beauty 28 2991263  
Red, Carl Krumm

Springdale Admiral 3023910  
Dk. Roan, George Rubley

**DAM**

Clara Michelle 3185727  
Red, Russell Logan

Clara Lynn 2862518  
Dk. Roan, Russell Logan

{ Calrossie Forward March  
Dk. Rn., J. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Naemoor Buttercup Twinkle  
Red, Robert Moubray

{ Cruggleton Grand Slam  
Dk. Roan, A. J. Marshall  
Scotch Beauty 23d  
Roan, C. J. Krumm & Sons

{ Melbourne Leishman  
Dk. Roan, J. Alexander & Sons  
Lane View Arabella 4th  
Roan, George Struve & Sons

{ Leader's Model  
Dk. Roan, Sumption Bros.  
Clara Maid 25th  
Red, Russell Logan

CLARA TAFFY — A good headed, thick, deep bodied heifer that we showed last year and who gave a good account of herself. Her sire is a grandson of the noted Calrossie Forward March who sired many top cattle in the Aberfeldy herd in Canada. Her dam from a great Clara family is a granddaughter of the Iowa State Fair champion, Melbourne Leishman by the Perth reserve champion, Cruggleton Leishman. This heifer is due to calve Jan. 4, 1968 to the service of Millbrook Woodman 13th. A top calf should result.



### CLARA MONA

The 1967 Clay County Fair Grand Champion Female of both the 4-H and open show. Sells as Lot 36.

**Lot 36**

**Female**

**CLARA MONA 3289-880**

Red, calved April 10, 1966. Bred and owned by  
Cynthia Logan, Spencer, Iowa. RE 147.

Aberfeldy Woodman 3079939  
Red, Reford W. Gardhouse

{ Calrossie Forward March  
Dk. Rn., J. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Naemoor Buttercup Twinkle  
Red, Robert Moubray

#### **SIRE**

Millbrook Woodman 13 3128033  
Red, William H. McDonnell

{ Cruggleton Grand Slam  
Dk. Roan, Albert Jas. Marshall  
Scotch Beauty 23d  
Roan, C. J. Krumm & Sons

Scotch Beauty 28 2991263  
Red, Carl Krumm

Sunny Knolls Pr. Bob 2871754  
Red, George Cox

{ Camson Prince Bob  
Red, J. W. Reid  
Femco Mercury Brawith  
Red, George Cox

#### **DAM**

Mary Clara C 3109008  
Dk. Roan, Diane Logan

{ Leader's Model  
Dk. Roan, Sumption Bros.  
Clara Maid 25th  
Red, Russell Logan

Clara Lynn 2861518  
Dk. Roan, Russell Logan

**CLARA MONA** — Here is a grand heifer that has a great show record to prove it. She was the grand champion female of both the junior 4-H show and the strong open class show of the 1967 Clay County Fair at Spencer, Iowa. She is very good headed, extremely thick and deep bodied, with good size and bone. Extremely well bred, she is a great granddaughter of the noted Calrossie Forward March and the champion Melbourne Leishman. Her Clara family has produced many outstanding females but she is without a doubt, the top. Were it not for the fact that the dam and 2 full sisters are in the herd, she would not be for sale. This is a foundation female for the best of herds. Sells open.



### CALROSSIE FORWARD MARCH

A son of the great Calrossie Welcome, he is the grand-sire of Millbrook Woodman 13th who is the sire of Lots 35, 36, 37, 38 and 39 in this sale.

Lot 37

### CLARA TIPPIE 3308-254

Female

Red, calved, May 16, 1966. Bred by Russell Logan, Spencer, Iowa;  
2nd owner, February 10, 1967, Susan Logan, Spencer, Iowa. RE 149.

Aberfeldy Woodman 3079939  
Red, Reford W. Gardhouse

#### SIRE

Millbrook Woodman 13 3128033  
Red, William H. McDonnell

Scotch Beauty 28 2991263  
Red, Carl Krumm

Springdale Admiral 3023910  
Dk. Roan, George Rubley

#### DAM

Clara Jan 3172898  
White, Diane Logan

Clara Jane 2982933  
White, Russell Logan

Clarossie Forward March  
Dk. Roan, J. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Naemoor Buttercup Twinkle  
Red, Robert Moubray

Cruggleton Grand Slam  
Dk. Roan, Albert Jas. Marshall  
Scotch Beauty 23d  
Roan, C. J. Krumm & Sons

Melbourne Leishman  
Dk. Roan, John Alexander & Sons  
Lane View Arabella 4th  
Roan, Geo. Struve & Sons

Leader's Model  
Dk. Roan, Sumption Bros.  
Clara Lady 22d  
Roan, Russell Logan

CLARA TIPPIE — Another richly bred good headed, deep bodied, very smooth heifer that was a reserve champion female of the 1967 Clay County Fair 4-H show. She also stood 5th in a strong class of 19 spring yearlings in the open show at the same fair. This is also a foundation female for a good herd, and sells open.



Lot 38

Female

**CLARA NOEL 3308-253**

Red, calved September 3, 1966. Bred by Russell Logan, Spencer, Iowa;  
2nd owner, February 10, 1967, Susan Logan, Spencer, Iowa. RE 150.

Aberfeldy Woodman 3079939  
Red, Reford W. Gardhouse

**SIRE**

Millbrook Woodman 13 3128033  
Red, William H. McDonnell

Scotch Beauty 28 2991263  
Red, Carl Krumm

Leader's Model 2662214  
Dk. Roan, Sumption Bros.

**DAM**

Clara Model 2945588  
Dk. Roan, Russell Logan

Clara 1st 2396642  
Red, John E. Greig

{ Calrossie Forward March  
Dk. Roan, J. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Naemoor Buttercup Twinkle  
Red, Robert Moubray

{ Cruggleton Grand Slam  
Dk. Roan, Albert Jas. Marshall  
Scotch Beauty 23d  
Roan, C. J. Krumm & Sons

{ Leader's Monarch  
Red, Sumption Bros.  
Missie 210th  
Roan, Sumption Bros.

{ Killearn Norseman 3d  
Red, Claude Gallinger  
Hillbrook Clara 20th  
Red, John E. Greig

CLARA NOEL — A good headed, thick heifer with a great quarter by the great sire of top females Millbrook Woodman 13th. Her granddam is by the noted Killearn Norseman 3d. This heifer placed first in the senior calf class at the 1967 Clay County Fair 4-H Show. Will develop into a grand cow. Sells open.

Lot 39

Female

**CLARA FAIRY**

Red, calved Jan. 4, 1967. Bred and owned by  
Russell Logan, Spencer, Iowa. RE 151.

Aberfeldy Woodman 3079939  
Red, Reford W. Gardhouse

**SIRE**

Millbrook Woodman 13 3128033  
Red, William H. McDonnell

Scotch Beauty 28 2991263  
Red, Carl Krumm

Leader's Model 2662214  
Dk. Roan, Sumption Bros.

**DAM**

Clara Bobbie 3039802  
Red, Russell Logan

Clara 1st 2396642  
Red, John E. Greig

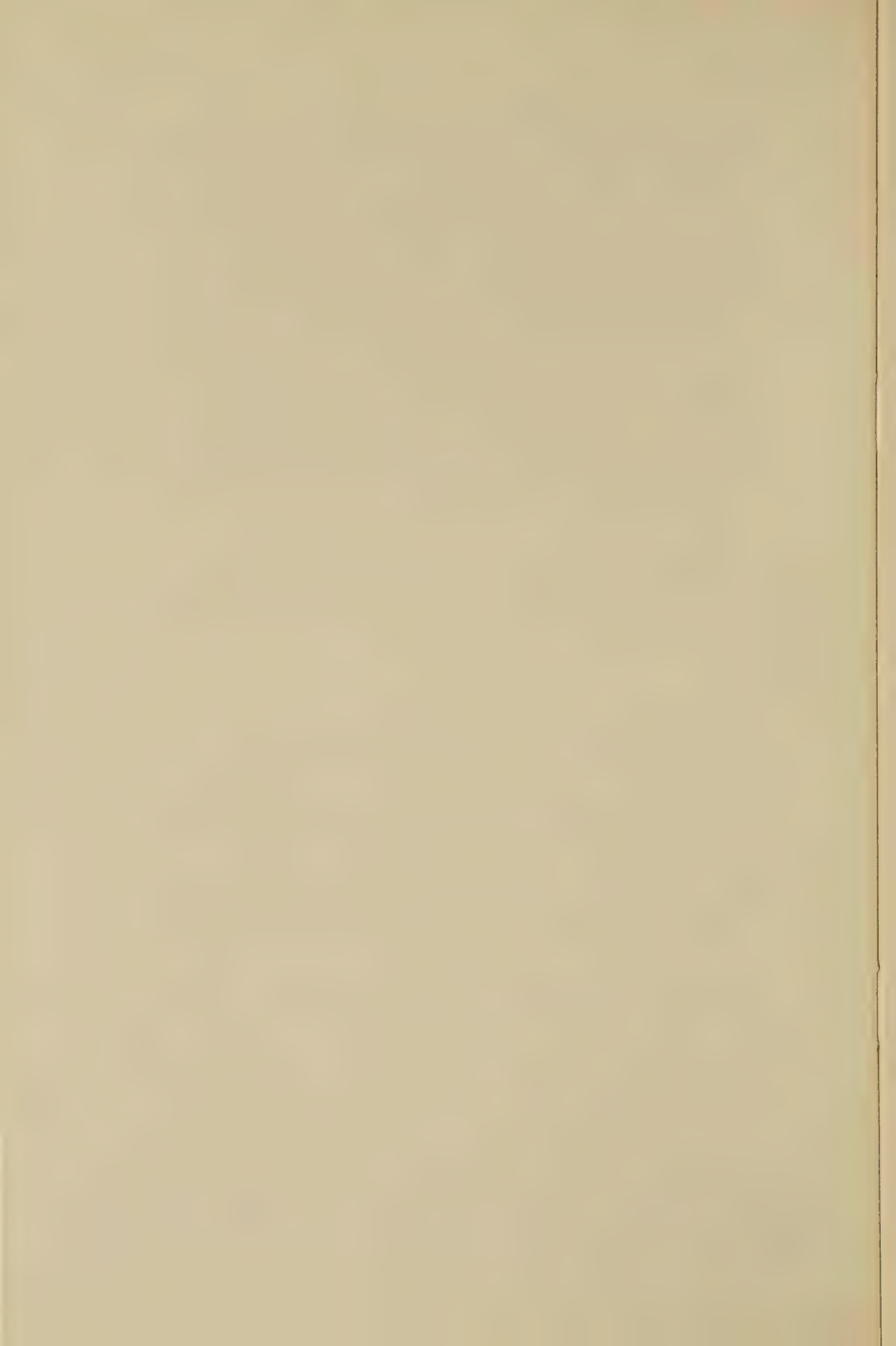
{ Calrossie Forward March  
Dk. Roan, J. & D. P. MacGillivray  
Naemoor Buttercup Twinkle  
Red, Roberty Moubray

{ Cruggleton Grand Slam  
Dk. Roan, Albert Jas. Marshall  
Scotch Beauty 23d  
Roan, C. J. Krumm & Sons

{ Leader's Monarch  
Red, Sumption Bros.  
Missie 210th  
Roan, Sumption Bros.

{ Killearn Norseman 3d  
Red, Claude Gallinger  
Hillbrook Clara 20th  
Red, John E. Greig

CLARA FAIRY — This junior heifer calf is typical of all the beautiful females sired by Millbrook Woodman 15th. She is bred very similar, being by the same sire and from the same family as the 1967 Clay County Fair Open Show champion female, and the reserve champion of the 4-H show. A big, growthy heifer. She is eligible for a 1968 4-H project. Sells open.



# STANDARD GUARANTEE

## Recommended by American Shorthorn Association

- A. Proper care must be given by purchaser to protect breeding qualities and health of guaranteed animals.
- B. All bulls are guaranteed breeders, provided they are not allowed to serve when under 14 months of age, or allowed to run with the herd when under 20 months of age. In case of failure of a bull to be a breeder, notice shall be given to the seller within six months of date of purchase, or by the time the bull is 20 months of age, if purchased under 14 months of age.
- C. With the exception of heifers sold under 14 months of age, all females are guaranteed breeders. Heifers under two years of age, shall not be served by a heavy or old bull. Cows or heifers sold as bred, or safe in calf, not proving to be in calf must be reported to the seller within three months after date of sale. Females over 14 months of age sold open, not settling within six months after date of sale, shall be promptly reported to the seller.
- D. When an animal fails to comply with the above guarantee the seller has the option of substituting an animal of equal value to the satisfaction of the purchaser, or of having the animal returned for a trial for a period not to exceed six months. The expense of a freight in such case is to be paid by the seller. If the animal is then proved to be a breeder beyond doubt it shall be returned to the purchaser at his expense. In case of dispute the return of the full purchase price, without interest, to the buyer will be considered full settlement and satisfaction to all claims. No charge for feed or maintenance shall be made by either buyer or seller. Salvage shall go to the seller. It shall be understood that the same guarantee given for the first animal shall likewise apply to any animal later substituted.
- E. In the event an animal is returned by the buyer to the seller as a non-breeder the buyer must furnish to the seller a veterinarian's certificate showing that his herd is healthy if such a certificate is required by the seller.
- F. All animals catalogued have been tested for T. B. and are clean, and have also passed a test for Brucellosis thirty days prior to the sale, or are accompanied by a Bangs Vaccination Certificate. Announcements will be made covering animals not clear from vaccination.
- G. Certificates of registry and transfer will be furnished with each animal sold. A signed pedigree application for unborn calves should be furnished with bred females showing names and record numbers of sire and dam, as well as service date.
- H. All prospective buyers should check health requirements of their states. Health certificates will be provided with each lot sold.

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